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Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended:
August 29, 1992



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Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended August 29, 1992, as estimated from railroad car loadings by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 20 million short tons. This was about the same as in the previous week and in the comparable week in 1991.

Production East of the Mississippi River totaled 12 million short tons, and production West of the Mississippi River totaled 8 million short tons.

Figure 1. Coal Production

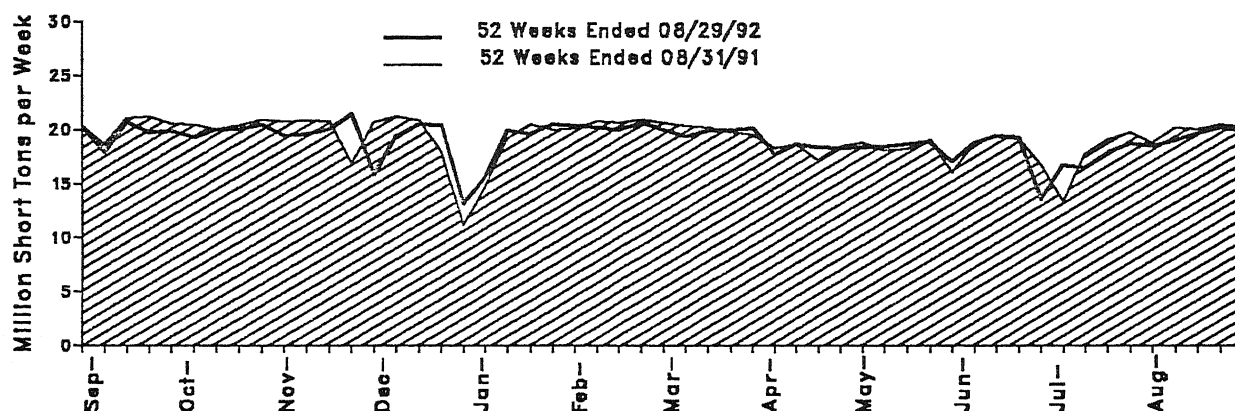


Table 1. Weekly U.S. Coal Production Overview

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			52 Weeks Ended		
	08/29/92	08/22/92	08/31/91	08/29/92	08/31/91	Percent Change
Production (Thousand Short Tons)						
Bituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite	19,774	20,098	20,127	982,864	994,235	-1.1
Pennsylvania Anthracite	50	42	68	2,929	3,135	-6.6
U.S. Total	19,823	20,140	20,195	985,794	997,370	-1.2
Railroad Cars Loaded	130,732	132,665	134,674	6,392,158	6,518,925	-1.9

¹ Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: All data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

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Table 2. Weekly U.S. Coal Production by Region and State
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	08/29/92	08/22/92	08/31/91
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi	11,591	11,577	11,885
Alabama	575	616	553
Illinois	1,080	1,186	1,137
Indiana	553	562	574
Kentucky	3,162	3,136	3,258
Kentucky, Eastern	2,220	2,242	2,399
Kentucky, Western	942	894	859
Maryland	71	70	85
Ohio	560	513	584
Pennsylvania Bituminous	1,297	1,156	1,343
Tennessee	90	94	83
Virginia	833	871	911
West Virginia	3,370	3,372	3,356
West of the Mississippi	8,182	8,520	8,242
Alaska	27	28	24
Arizona	229	233	252
Arkansas	2	2	1
Colorado	407	417	336
Iowa	7	7	7
Kansas	8	9	7
Louisiana	66	78	81
Missouri	44	45	50
Montana	743	780	782
New Mexico	534	507	463
North Dakota	562	590	567
Oklahoma	55	48	41
Texas	1,174	1,192	1,230
Utah	446	465	437
Washington	87	88	115
Wyoming	3,789	4,033	3,852
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite Total	19,774	20,098	20,127
Pennsylvania Anthracite	50	42	68
U.S. Total	19,823	20,140	20,195

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